

FARWELL DAVID L  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 FARWELL DAVID L

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 ABM INDUSTRIES INC /DE/ [ABM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 03/21/2007

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 Sr.VP/Chief of Staff/Treasurer

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V Amount or Price			
Common Stock	03/21/2007		M	5,000	A	\$ 16.825 7,736	D	
Common Stock	03/21/2007		S	5,000	D	\$ 26 2,736	D	
Common Stock	03/21/2007		M	5,000	A	\$ 15.16 7,736	D	
Common Stock	03/21/2007		S	5,000	D	\$ 26 2,736	D	
Common Stock	03/21/2007		M	10,000	A	\$ 18.3 12,736	D	

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options <u>(3)</u>	\$ 16.825	03/21/2007		M	5,000	<u>(4)</u> 09/09/2012	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Options <u>(5)</u>	\$ 15.16	03/21/2007		M	5,000	<u>(6)</u> 01/23/2013	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Options <u>(3)</u>	\$ 18.3	03/21/2007		M	10,000	<u>(4)</u> 06/14/2015	Common Stock	10,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
FARWELL DAVID L			Sr.VP/Chief of Staff/Treasurer	

## Signatures

s/ David L. Farwell 03/23/2007

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

- (1) Includes 1,905 RSUs
- (2) Includes 812 shares in Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- (3) Stock options granted under the 2002 Price-Vested Plan.
- (4) Exercisable over the first four years in percentages tied to the price of ABM common stock and after eight years from the date of grant, if not previously vested.
- (5) Stock options granted under the 1987 Time-Vested Plan.
- (6) Exercisable 20% on 1/23/2004 and 20% on the anniversary date of each of the following four years.

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